OPINION 778

GODIVA MACNAE, 1954 (GASTROPODA): PLACED ON THE OFFICIAL LIST OF GENERIC NAMES

RULING.—(1) The generic name *Godiva* Macnae, 1954 (gender: feminine), type-species, by original designation, *Hervia quadricolor* Barnard, 1927, is hereby placed on the Official List of Generic Names in Zoology with the Name Number 1717.

- (2) The following specific names are hereby placed on the Official List of Specific Names in Zoology with the Name Numbers specified:
 - (a) quadricolor Barnard, 1927, as published in the binomen Hervia quadricolor (type-species of Godiva Macnae, 1954) (Name No. 2148);
 - (b) japonica Baba, 1937, as published in the binomen Cuthona (Hervia) japonica (Name No. 2149).

HISTORY OF THE CASE (Z.N.(S.) 1107)

The present case was submitted to the office of the Commission in April 1956 by Dr. Henning Lemche and was revised by him in 1963. The application was sent to the printer on 17 October 1963 and was published on 25 March 1964 in *Bull. zool. Nomencl.* 21: 56–57. The proposals were supported by Lt. C. L. Collier, Dr. Myra Keen and Mr. David Heppell.

DECISION OF THE COMMISSION

On 25 January 1966 the Members of the Commission were invited to vote under the Three-Month Rule on Voting Paper (66)7 either for or against the proposals set out in *Bull. zool. Nomencl.* 21:57. At the close of the prescribed voting period on 25 April 1966 the state of the voting was as follows:

Affirmative votes—nineteen (19), received in the following order: China, Holthuis, Mayr, Lemche, Stoll, Vokes, Bonnet, Obruchev, Uchida, Simpson, Jaczewski, do Amaral, Boschma, Tortonese, Sabrosky, Binder, Evans, Forest, Mertens.

Negative votes—one (1): Kraus.

Voting Papers not returned—three (3): Hubbs, Munroe, Ride.

Drs. Alvarado and Brinck returned late affirmative votes. In returning his Voting Paper Dr. Kraus made the following comment: "I vote against the proposal: I cannot agree with the technical way of solving the problem."

ORIGINAL REFERENCES

The following are the original references for names placed on Official Lists by the Ruling given in the present Opinion:

Godiva Macnae, 1954, Ann. Natal Mus. 13: 20

japonica, Cuthona (Hervia), Baba, 1937, J. Dep. Agric. Kyushu Imp. Univ. 5:329 quadricolor, Hervia, Barnard, 1927, Ann. S. Afr. Mus. 25:203

CERTIFICATE

We certify that the votes cast on Voting Paper (66)7 were cast as set out above, that the proposal contained in that Voting Paper has been duly adopted, and that the decision so taken, being the decision of the International Commission, is truly recorded in the present Opinion No. 778.

G. OWEN EVANS
Secretary

W. E. CHINA
Assistant Secretary

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